

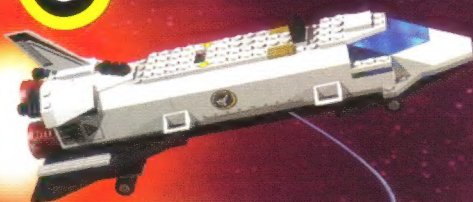
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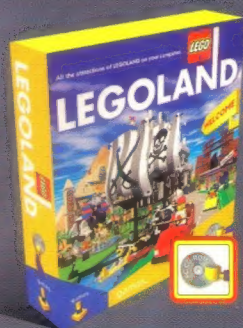
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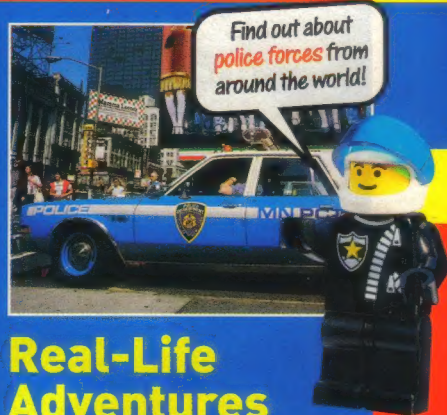


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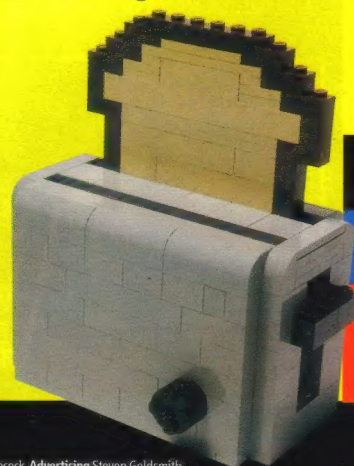
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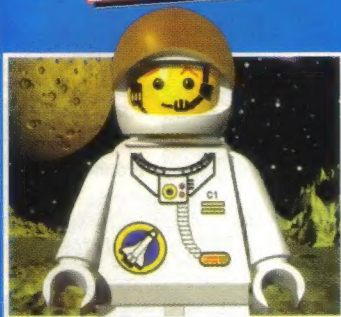
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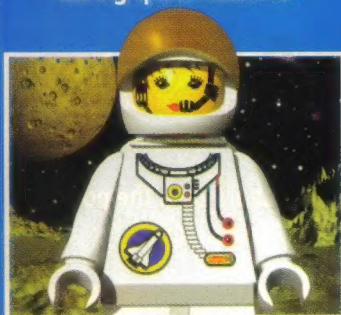
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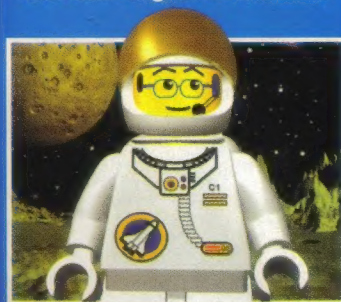
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Commands the shuttle during daring space missions!



Navigator Eena Orbit

Responsible for the launch, orbit and return flight of the shuttle!



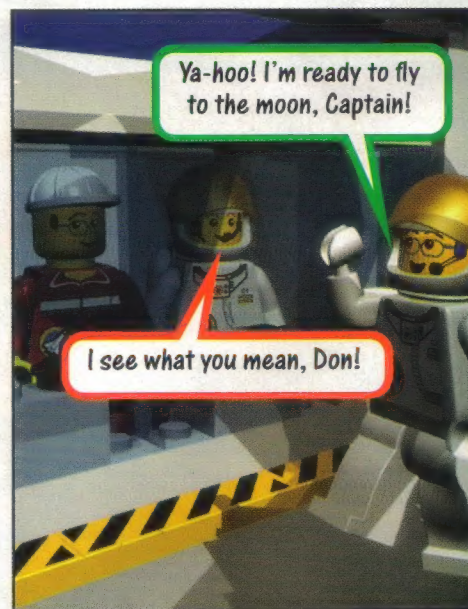
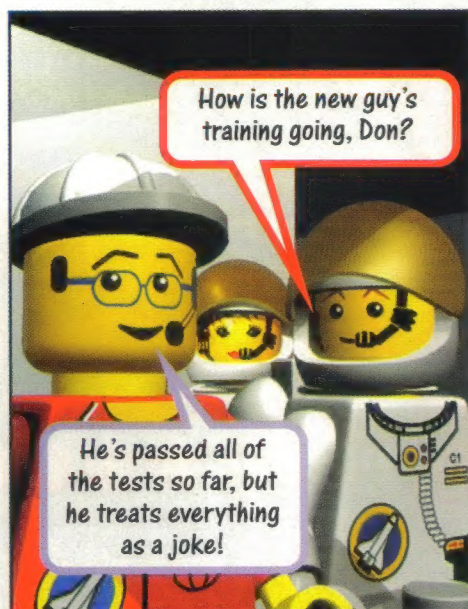
Astronaut Ricky Static

Training to be a daredevil Space Port astronaut!

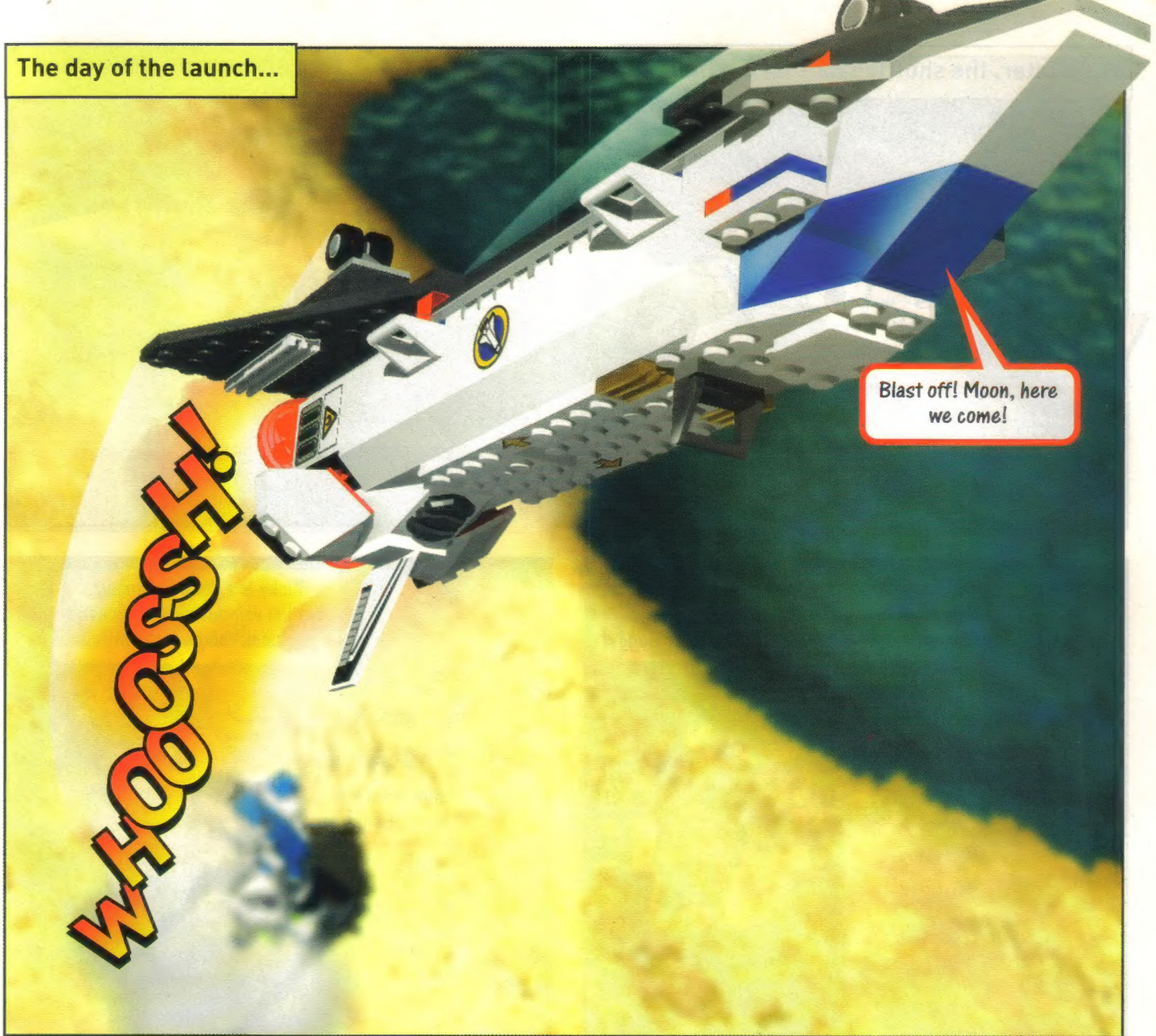
It's an important day at the Space Port Astronaut Training Centre...



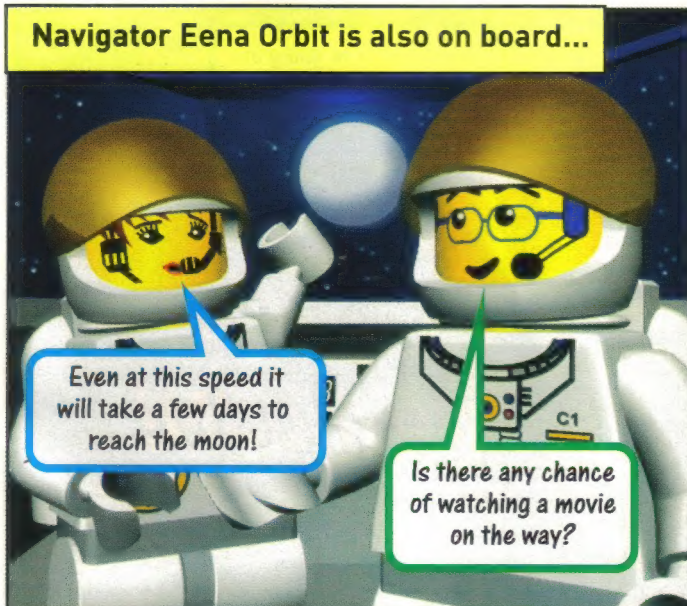
Inside, new astronaut, Ricky Static, is on his final test...



The day of the launch...



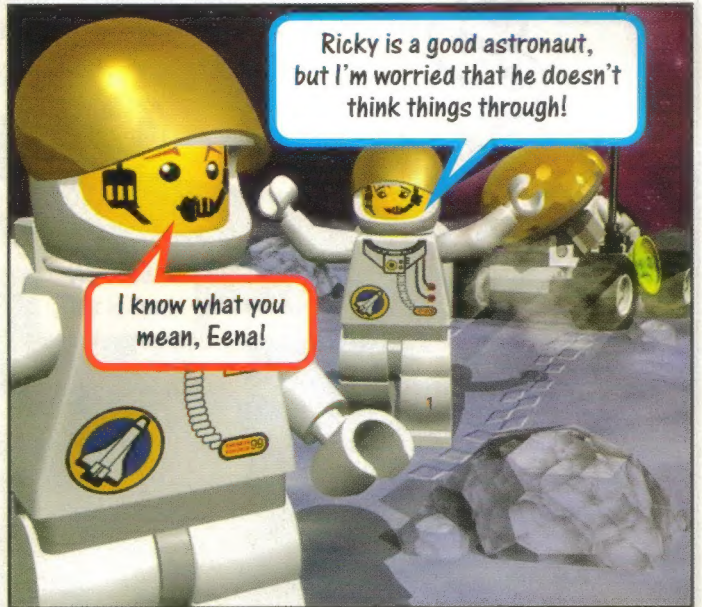
Navigator Eena Orbit is also on board...



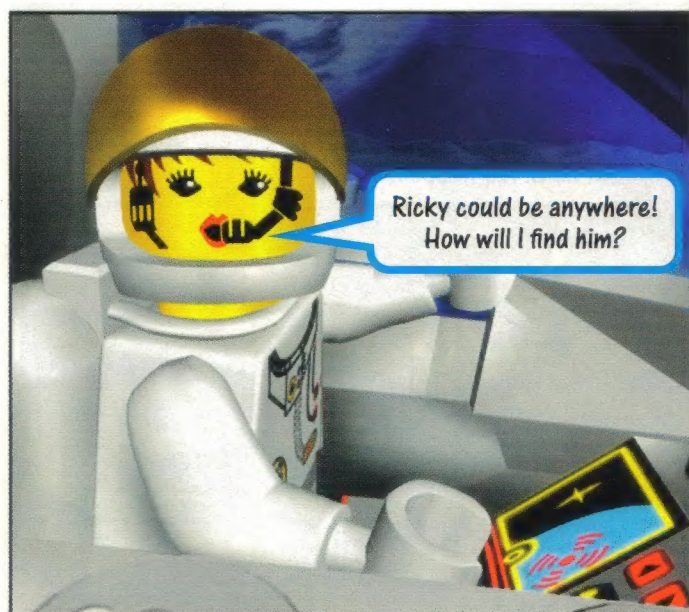
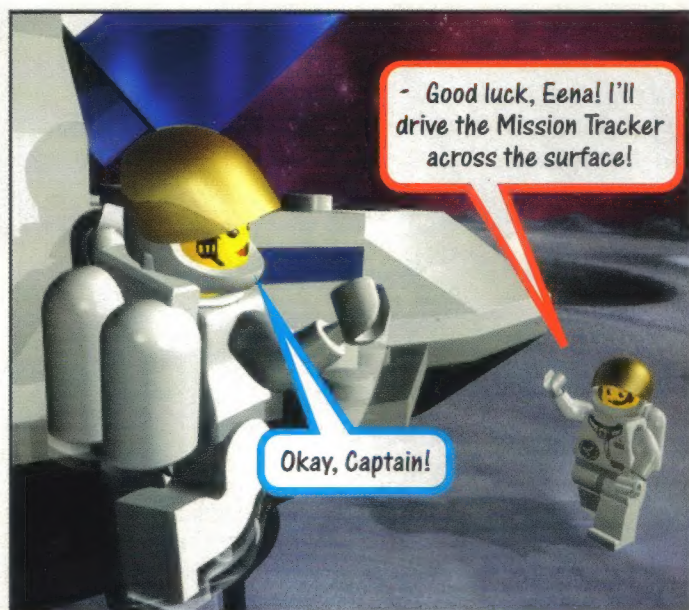
Days later, the shuttle lands on the moon...

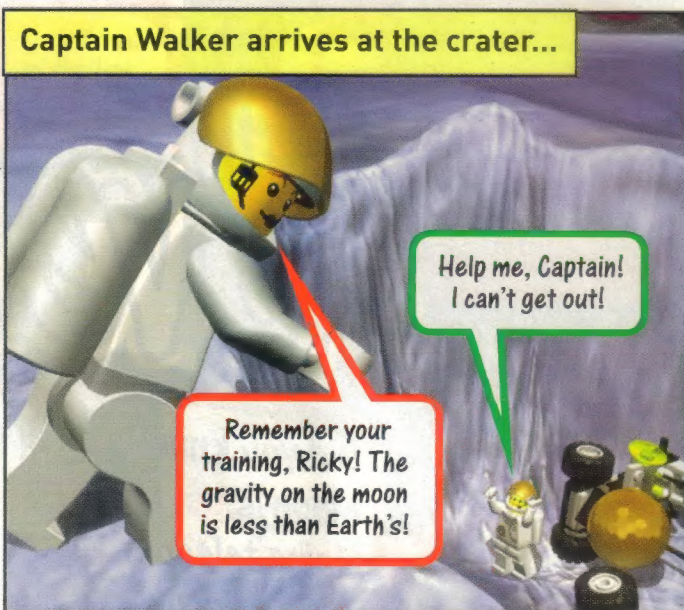
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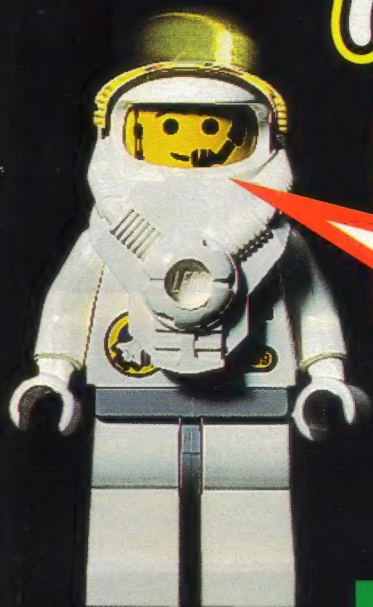






Real-life

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Did you know that, apart from the sun, the moon is **the brightest object in the sky?** Using telescopes and moon landings, we've discovered **many facts** about it...

The moon is 3,746km in diameter and orbits Earth once ever 28 days, **travelling at a speed of 3,680km!**



The Moon

Man first landed on the moon in 1969. There have been **six moon landings** altogether. The last moon landing was in 1972.



The moon's low gravity allows astronauts to bounce high over the surface!

The surface of the moon is covered with **rocks of all shapes and sizes** as well as thousands of meteor craters.



From Earth, we can only ever see one side of the moon. The Luna 3 probe took the first pictures of the **far side of the moon** in 1959.

Astronauts have taken samples of the moon's surface back to Earth to study, **but have never discovered any signs of life!**



The moon has **a very dark surface**. The light we see from it is reflected from the sun and sometimes from Earth. This reflected Earth light is called **Earthshine**.

Quick-build Moon Buggy

Build this amazing Space Port vehicle in six easy-to-follow steps!

1

Start your Moon Buggy with these four pieces.



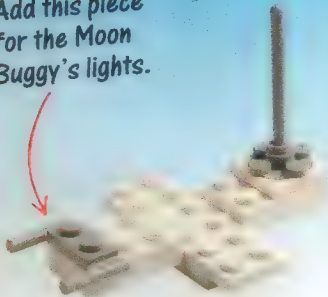
2

You can add this piece to make the aerial revolve.



3

Add this piece for the Moon Buggy's lights.



4

You could add a driver's seat or control panels.



5

The lights and aerial make the buggy look fantastic!



6



You could add all sorts of special pieces if you have them.

Don't forget to add a Space Port Mini figure to your Moon Buggy!

More building ideas!

You could try building a satellite and adding lots of special pieces!

Here's another great model to build, a huge space station!

If you have lots of black and white pieces, construct this great space shuttle!

Take a picture of your own Moon Buggy and send it to us!

We've given our Moon Buggy model four tyres, but you could add more.

Puzzles



If you get stuck,
turn to the answers
on page 35!

How many differences can you spot on the picture on the right?

A



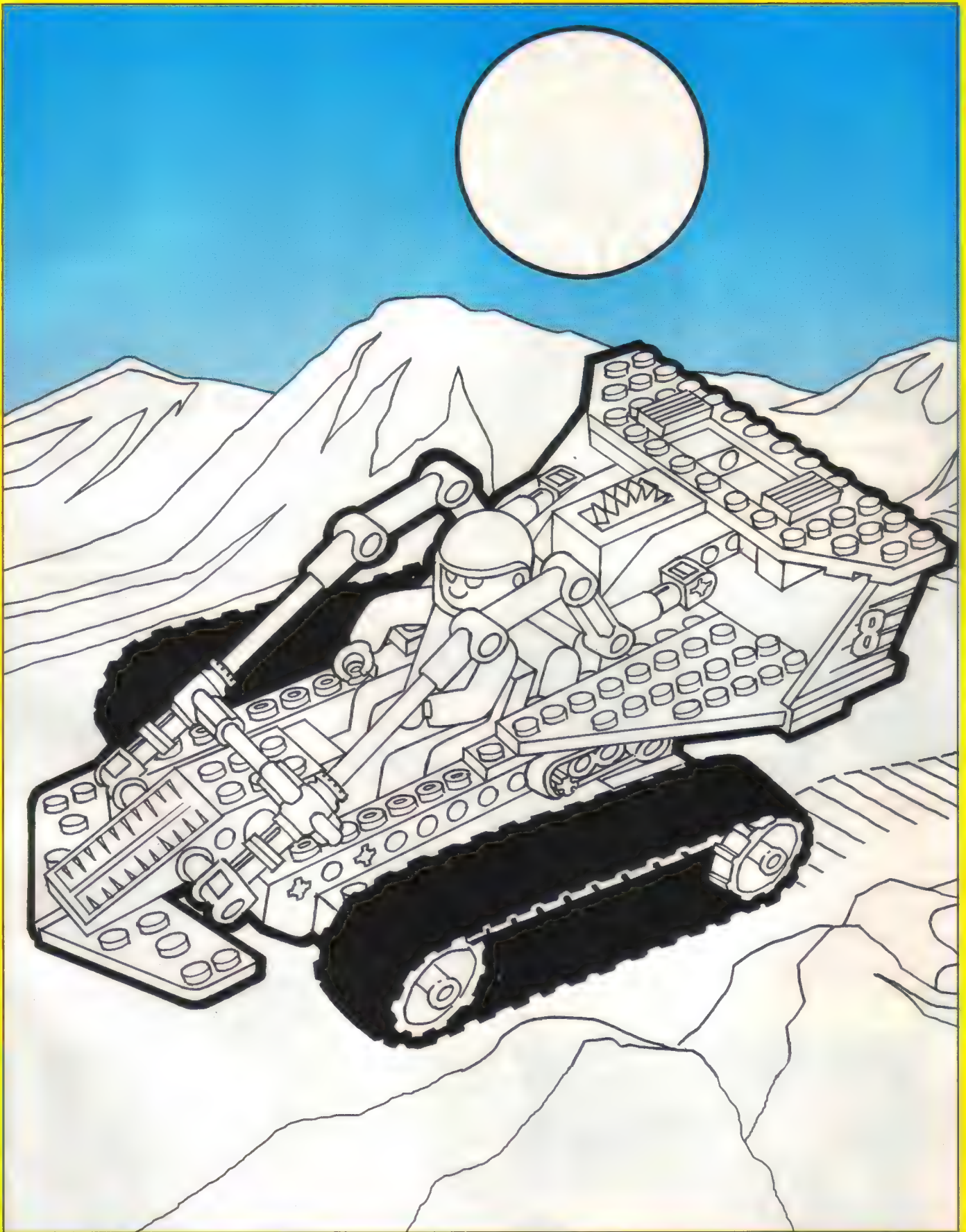
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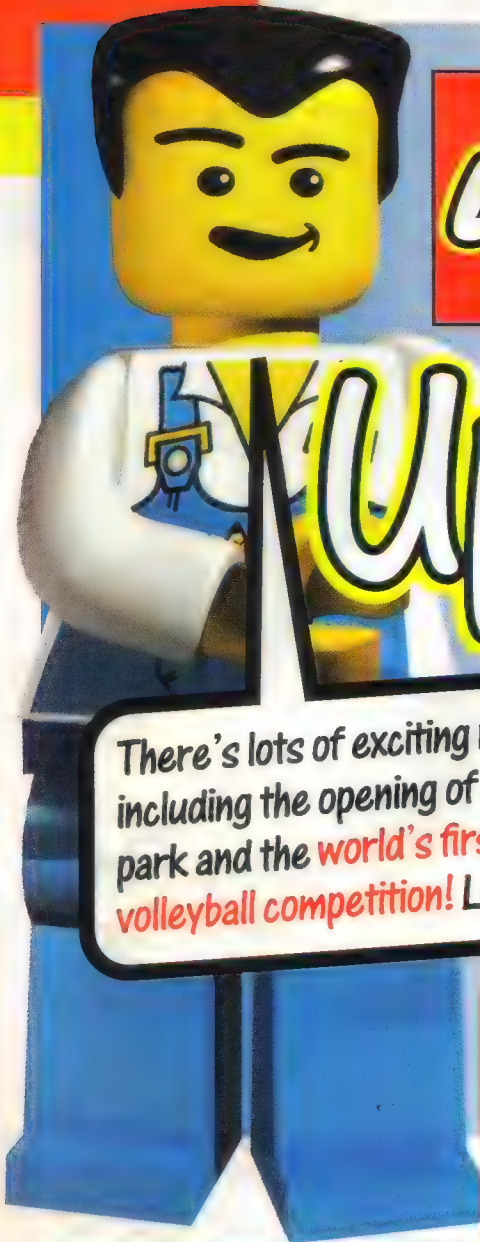


Join the dots to find out what Fearless McCoy is flying!



Here's a fantastic LEGO action scene for you to colour in!





Update

OPENING SOON!

DID YOU KNOW?

There are now 12 different Ollie dragons (left) at LEGOLAND theme parks!



LEGOLAND. G E R M A N Y

There's lots of exciting news this month, including the opening of a **new LEGOLAND** park and the **world's first LEGO robot volleyball competition!** Let's take a look...

A fourth LEGOLAND park will open in Günzburg, Germany! The park will feature all sorts of fantastic LEGO rides and attractions when it opens in 2003. There are already three LEGOLAND parks open in Billund, Windsor and California.

LEGO is expecting around 1.5 million people will visit the new park in its first year. They can expect to see a new LEGOLAND Castle and dragon, as well as lots of amazing LEGO markets and special events!



The site for the new LEGOLAND park (left) is currently being cleared and flattened by giant diggers. At the moment, it looks a lot like the surface of the moon!





Galactic Challenge!

You could win a
LEGO R2-D2
model signed by
George Lucas!



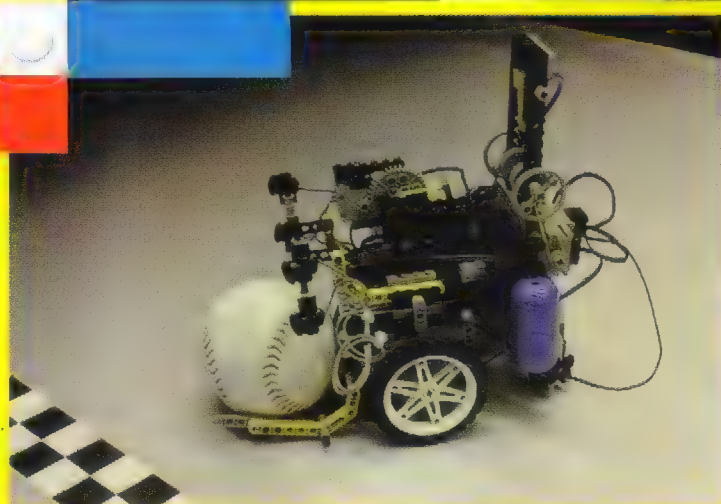
Next issue, we'll be bringing you details of an amazing *Star Wars* Episode I building competition! The Galactic Challenge Building Contest will take place in the UK from January 2000 and there are amazing *Star Wars* prizes to be won, including a VIP trip to LEGOLAND Billund.

Two finalists will be flown out to LEGOLAND California to take part in the World Championship Build-Off! For more information on the *Star Wars* Galactic Challenge Building Contest, check out:

<http://www.lego.com/starwars/contest>

Volleyball Robots!

The world's first LEGO robot volleyball competition recently took place in Sheffield, UK. Teams from the University of Reading built special robots for the competition from LEGO MINDSTORMS sets. The winning robots were built by Trinity College, Dublin!



You can find out more about the LEGO volleyball challenge by visiting: <http://www.cyber.rdg.ac.uk/research/CIRG/lego/>



Picture Hunt



Welcome to the **LEGO Space Port!**
How many of the following items
can you find? If you get stuck,
turn to the **answers on page 35.**

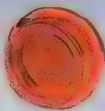
Astronauts
with jet packs



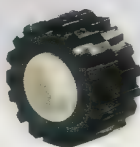
Saturn 1
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Red warning
lights



Lunar Buggy
wheels



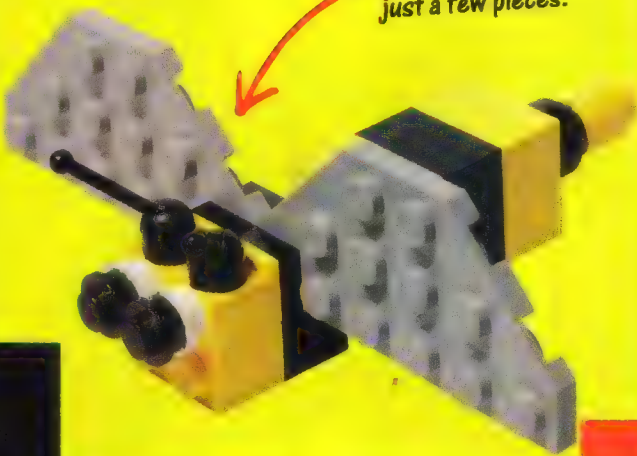


Ideas from the Fun Factory

Here are some great ideas for models to build with your LEGO bricks. Don't forget to send us your pics!

Bee

Here's a small, simple model to make with just a few pieces.



Toaster

You could try making the toast pop up and down!



Snakes & Ladders

Build this model and play a game of snakes and ladders with a friend!



Apple



You could try making other pieces of fruit, such as a banana!

Chicken Leg

This chicken leg looks just like the real thing, but don't try eating it!

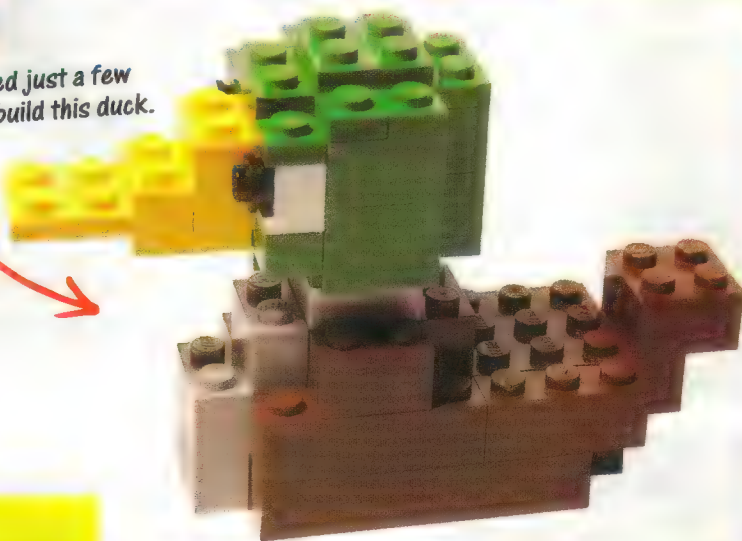


Make a hinged clip at the top of the board to hold paper or a pencil!

Clipboard

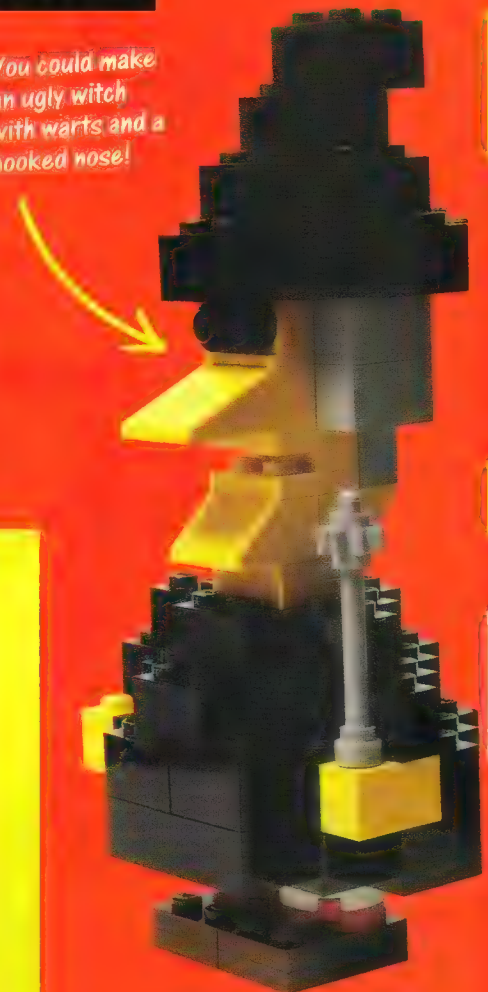
Duck

We've used just a few pieces to build this duck.



Witch

You could make an ugly witch with warts and a hooked nose!



Spider

Don't forget to give your scary black spider eight legs!



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Highway Patrolman Bill

Keeping the streets of LEGO City safe from criminals!



Firefighter Jack

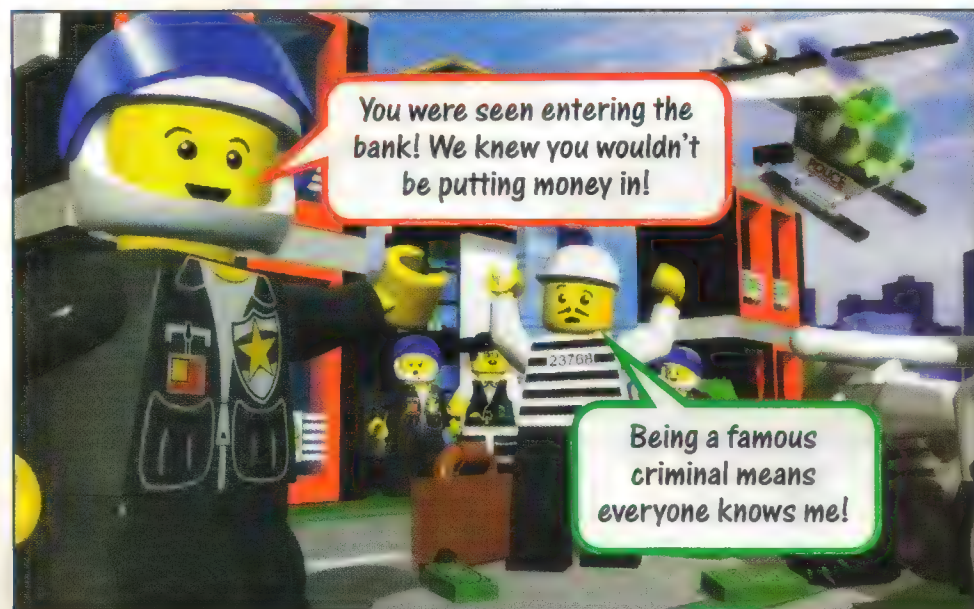
Jack and his brave team are always ready to fight fires!



The Brickster

Always trying to steal money and make a quick getaway!

A wave of crime hits LEGO City...





Meanwhile, at the Fire Station...



The fire-team soon speeds off...



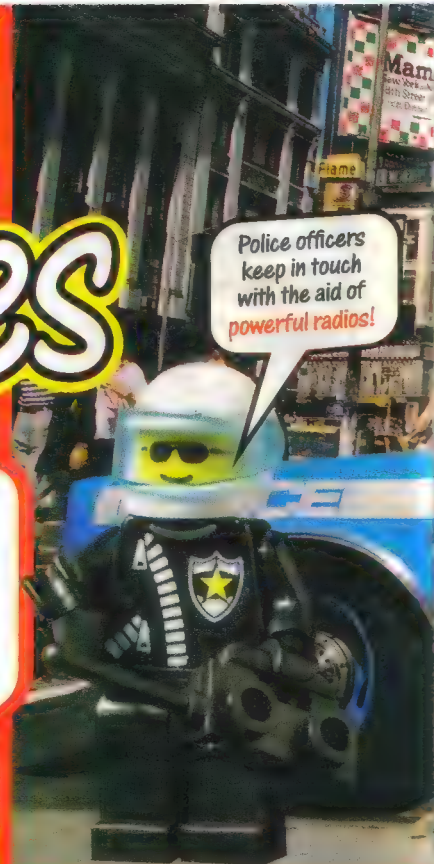


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Every country has its own police force to **fight crime, stop law-breakers and help the public.** Let's take a look at police officers from around the world!



The Police

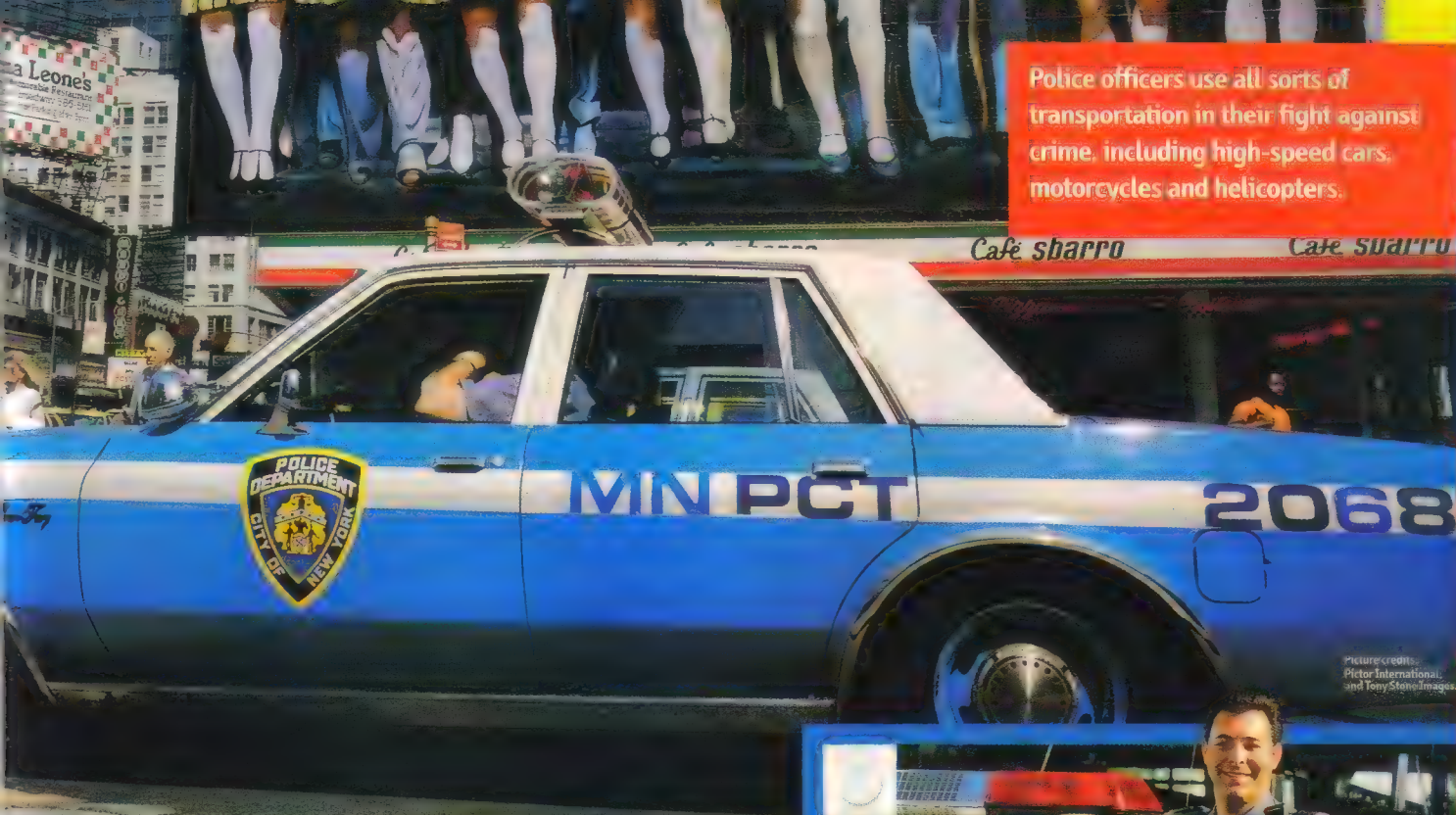
The British police force was started in 1822 by Sir Robert Peel. They became known as 'peelers' or 'bobbies', shortenings of Sir Robert's name.



If a suspect is found **guilty of a crime**, they may be sent to prison for **many years!**



Police officers help direct traffic in some large cities. This Italian policeman is using a whistle and his hands to give instructions.



Police officers use all sorts of transportation in their fight against crime, including high-speed cars, motorcycles and helicopters.



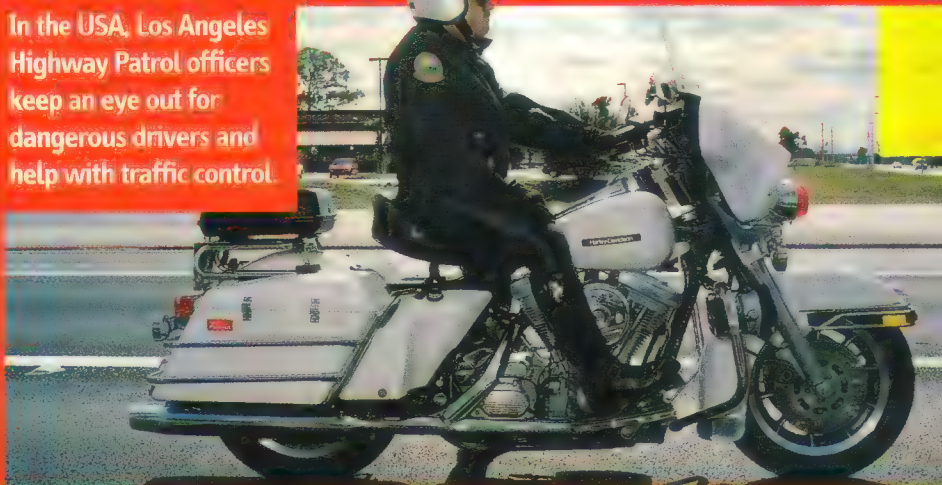
Many countries have mounted police which are used for crowd control. Horses are trained to stay calm at all times.



All police officers wear special uniforms. This American cop's shirt has a metal badge, name tag and cloth department patch.



In the USA, Los Angeles Highway Patrol officers keep an eye out for dangerous drivers and help with traffic control.



Quick-build Policeman

Construct this British police officer in five easy steps!

1

Start with the legs, so that your model will stand up.



2

You could add extra pieces to hold a radio and truncheon!



3

Try adding joints to the model's arms so that they can move.



4



5

Add small pieces to decorate your police officer!



6



The finished policeman model has a helmet complete with badge!

If you have enough pieces, try building even more policemen!



Try adding hinges to your model's legs so that he can sit down.



Don't forget to send us a picture of your own models!

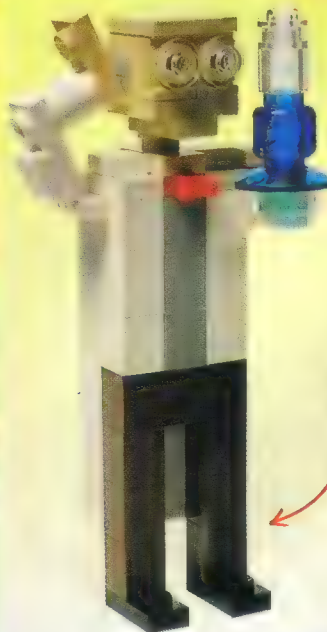
We've used Basic and Freestyle pieces on this model, but you can add other bricks if you like. Extra pieces can make a model even better! **Be creative!**

More building ideas!



Make this great doctor and give him lots of medical equipment to help patients!

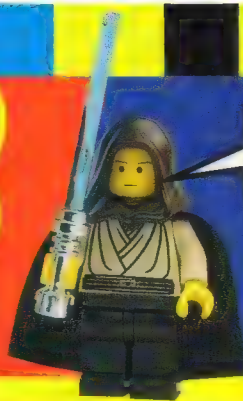
Make a whole team of firefighters to tackle big blazes!



This clever scientist could be part of a laboratory model!



Puzzles



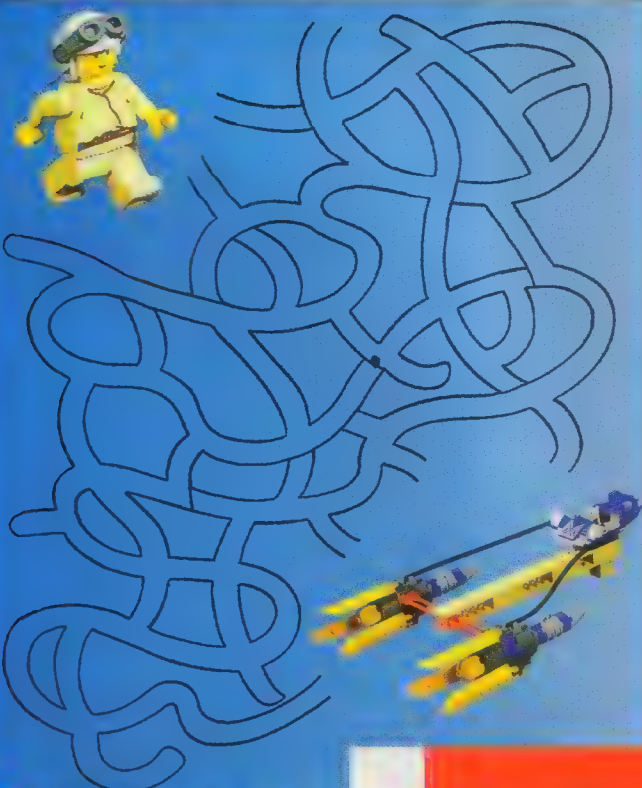
If you get stuck,
turn to the answers
on page 35!



Which LEGO Star Wars Mini figure heads match which bodies?

1 	2 	3 	4 	5 	6
A 	B 	C 	D 	E 	F

Guide Anakin Skywalker to his Podracer!



How many lightsabers are there in this picture?



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The Dragon roller-coaster tour travels through the Castle's kitchens, banqueting hall and torture chamber before visitors meet the fire-breathing Red Dragon itself!



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All of the models in the Castle were made in LEGOLAND Billund.



The Red Dragon guards the Castle's treasure hoard. Thanks to special robotics, the Dragon moves its head and even breathes smoke!



The Castle is filled with amazing models, made from over 1.3 million LEGO bricks! The Red Dragon alone contains 200,000 pieces!

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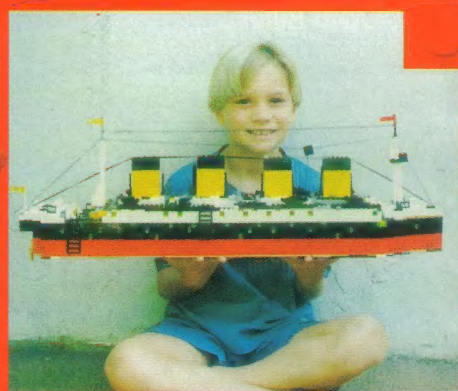
Send your letters and model photos to us and win a great prize! The address is: **LEGO Adventures!** Egmont Fleetway, Egmont House, 25-31 Tavistock Place, London WC1H 9SU. You can now send emails to us at: LEGOAdv@fel.egmont.com



The sender of every letter and photo printed wins a fantastic **LEGO Rock Raiders** mousemat and keyring!



This incredible *Star Wars* Episode I Podracer was built by 10 year-old Ross Jordine from Edinburgh!



We think 8 year-old Alex Rockwood's fantastic Titanic model looks just like the real thing!

Competition

Win LEGO Rock Raiders Sets!

We've got three great Tunnel Transport and three Loader Dozer sets to give away this month!

To win, just answer this simple question:

Where is the 4th LEGOLAND park due to open?

- a: Japan
- b: Germany
- c: Belgium

*Hint: the answer is somewhere in this issue!)

Send your answers to:
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Competition Rules

The first five correct entries pulled from our postbag after the closing date of 30th November 1999 will receive a Tunnel Transport set (4980). The following three correct entries will each receive a Loader Dozer set (4950). The editor's decision is final and no correspondence will be entered into.

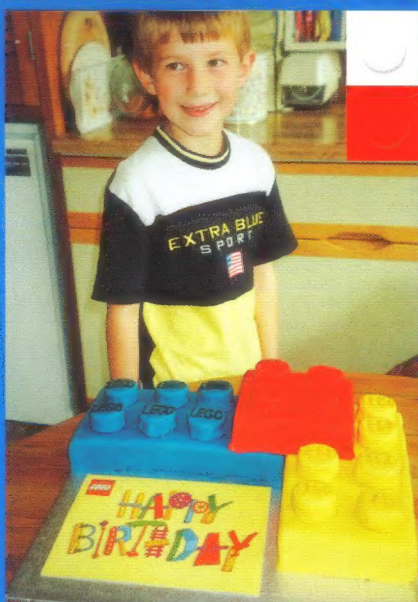
Help the **LEGO Rock Raiders** find energy crystals!



This huge LEGO race track was built by 9 year-old Paul Pearson!



Take a look at this fantastic army of mighty warriors! These great LEGO figures have been built by Justin Murray from Greenford!



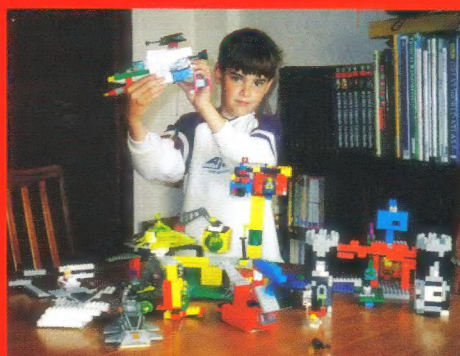
Alexander Olney had a great 8th birthday and even had a special LEGO cake made for him!



Toby Comer from Ipswich has made this cool LEGO pirate ship, complete with crocodile and Captain Hook!

Builder

of the Month!



Builder of the Month this issue is Mark Winnett from Birmingham. He's made all sorts of colourful LEGO models!



10 year-old Adam Guild from Tamworth has built these three great Power Rangers!

Puzzle Answers

PAGE 14: AQUAZONE PUZZLE: There are seven differences to spot.
EXTREME TEAM PUZZLE: The Extreme Team member is flying a hang-glider! PAGE 18 (PICTURE HUNT): There are ten scary black spiders, three ancient temples, eight slithering red snakes and three red jungle parrots. Did you find them all? PAGE 30 (STAR WARS PUZZLES): MATCH THE HEADS PUZZLE: 1-D, 2-F, 3-E, 4-B, 5-A, 6-C. COUNT THE LIGHTSABERS PUZZLE: There are 23 lightsabers.



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